

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please add the following new paragraph before line 1 on page 1:

--This application is a Divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/924,830 filed on September 5, 1997. The entire contents of the above-identified application is hereby incorporated by reference.--

Page 1, before line 9, insert the following headings:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Field of the Invention--;

Page 1, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following heading:

--DESCRIPTION OF THE RELATED ART--;

Page 2, before line 1, insert the following heading:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 12, between lines 12 and 14, insert the following heading:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--;

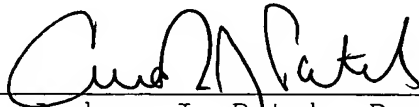
Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 12, line 14, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Figure 1: ~~represents the feasibility of targeting a central nervous system lesion with exogenous engineered monocyte derived cells ("therapeutic shuttles" or "cargo cells") injected intravenously~~ illustrates three magnified views of brain sections, including a control area (upper left), a lesion zone

(upper right), and a highly magnified view of the damaged area
(lower).--

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